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In re Patent Application of:

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Reissue Application No.: 10/747,819

For: DATA TRANSMISSION APPARATUS AND

METHOD

SUPPLEMENTAL REISSUE DECLARATION BY THE INVENTORS

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Sir:

- 1. We, Jin Cheol Hong and Hong Sung Song, hereby declare that:
- 2. Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names.
- 3. We believe that we are the original, first and sole inventors of the subject matter which is described and claimed in United States Patent No. 6,335,718 (the '718 patent), granted on January 1, 2002, entitled "DATA TRANSMISSION APPARATUS AND METHOD", and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled "DATA TRANSMISSION APPARATUS AND METHOD," the specification of which was filed on April 29, 1999 as Application Serial No. 09/299,533 and was amended in the Preliminary Amendment filed in this reissue Application Serial No. 10/747,819 on December 30, 2003.
- 4. We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification including claims 1-41 and subsequently added claims 42-62, as added in the Preliminary Amendment referred to above.
- 5. We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) based on the following foreign application(s) for patent filed in the following foreign country on the indicated date listed below:

CountryApplication No.DateKorea, Republic of98-63372December 31, 1998

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In support of this claim, a certified copy of the original foreign application has been submitted in the previous application Serial No. 09/299,533, now Patent Number 6,335,718.

- 6. We acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to be material to the patentability of this application as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56.
- 7. We verily believe the original '718 patent to be wholly or partially inoperative by reason of the patentees claiming less than they had the right to claim in the patent.
- 8. We state at least one error which is relied upon to support this reissue application. In at least original claims 19 and 37, the phrase "in response to the first control signal" renders the '718 patent wholly or partially inoperative in that by including this phrase, the patentees claimed less than they had the right to claim in the patent.
- 9. All errors corrected in this reissue application up to the time of filing of this oath/declaration arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicants.
- 10. Every error in the patent which was corrected in the present reissue application, and is not covered by a prior oath/declaration submitted in this application, arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.
- 11. We hereby appoint the registered practitioners of McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP, Customer Number 30827, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.
- 12. Please direct all correspondence to:

McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP 1900 K Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20006 Attention: Song K. Jung, Esq. Reg. No. 35,210

13. We declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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